

**SUPREME COURT MINUTES
THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1998
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

S055144 Quelimane Company, Inc. et al., Plaintiffs and Appellants

v.

Stewart Title Guaranty Co. et al., Defendants and Respondents

The judgment of the Court of Appeal is reversed with directions to remand this matter to the superior court for further proceedings consistent with this opinion.

Baxter, J.

We Concur:

George, C.J.

Mosk, J.

Kennard, J.

Werdegar, J.

Chin, J.

Dissenting Opinion by Brown, J.

S055733 People, Plaintiff and Respondent

v.

Mario Alberto Cortez, Defendant and Appellant

The judgment of the Court of Appeal is affirmed.

Baxter, J.

We Concur:

George, C.J.

Mosk, J.

Werdegar, J.

Chin, J.

Brown, J.

Concurring Opinion by Mosk, J.

Dissenting Opinion by Kennard, J.

S060145 Yamaha Corporation of America, Plaintiff and Respondent

v.

State Board of Equalization, Defendant and Appellant

The judgment of the Court of Appeal is reversed and the cause is remanded to that court for further proceedings consistent with this opinion.

Brown, J.

We Concur:

George, C.J.

Kennard, J.

Baxter, J.

Chin, J.

Concurring Opinion by Mosk, J.

We Concur:

George, C.J.

Werdegar, J.

2nd Dist. Summer Reese et al., Petitioners

B124594 v.

Div. 4 Los Angeles County Appellate Department, Respondent

S072772 Paula K. Reynosa, Real Party in Interest

Application for stay and petition for review DENIED.

Kennard, J., is of the opinion the stay should be granted.

S070227 In re Noel Jackson

on

Habeas Corpus

On application of petitioner and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file petitioner's reply to informal response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus is extended to and including September 30, 1998.

- S054868 Khalid Khawar, Respondent
 v.
 Globe International Inc., Appellant
 The request of counsel for appellant in the above-referenced
 cause to allow two counsel to argue on behalf of appellant at oral
 argument is hereby granted.
- S054868 Khalid Khawar, Respondent
 v.
 Globe International Inc., Appellant
 The request of appellant to allocate to Anthony M. Glassman
 15 minutes of appellant's 30-minute allotted time for oral argument
 is granted.
- S065021 Jabes Salgado et al., Appellants
 v.
 County of Los Angeles et al., Appellants
 The request of counsel for appellant County of Los Angeles in
 the above-referenced cause to allow two counsel to argue on behalf
 of appellant at oral argument is hereby granted.
- S065021 Jabes Salgado et al., Appellants
 v.
 County of Los Angeles et al., Appellants
 The request of appellant County of Los Angeles to allocate to
 amicus curiae California Medical Association 10 minutes of
 appellant's 30-minute allotted time for oral argument is granted.
- S065021 Jabes Salgado et al., Appellants
 v.
 County of Los Angeles et al., Appellants
 The request of counsel for appellant Salgado in the above-
 referenced cause to allow two counsel to argue on behalf of
 appellant at oral argument is hereby granted.

- S065021 Jabes Salgado et al., Appellants
v.
County of Los Angeles et al., Appellants
The request of appellant Salgado to allocate to amicus curiae Consumer Attorneys of California 10 minutes of appellant's 30-minute allotted time for oral argument is granted.
- S067462 Mercury Insurance Group, Petitioner
v.
San Bernardino County Superior Court, Respondent
Ronald A. Wooster et al., Real Parties in Interest
The request of counsel for petitioner Mercury Insurance in the above-referenced cause to allow two counsel to argue on behalf of petitioner at oral argument is hereby granted.
- S067462 Mercury Insurance Group, Petitioner
v.
San Bernardino County Superior Court, Respondent
Ronald A. Wooster et al., Real Parties in Interest
The request of petitioner Mercury Insurance to allocate to Jeffrey H. Leo 15 minutes of petitioner's 30-minute allotted time for oral argument is granted.
- S067462 Mercury Insurance Group, Petitioner
v.
San Bernardino County Superior Court, Respondent
Ronald A. Wooster et al., Real Parties in Interest
The request of counsel for real party in interest Wooster in the above-referenced cause to allow two counsel to argue on behalf of real party in interest at oral argument is hereby granted.
- S067462 Mercury Insurance Group, Petitioner
v.
San Bernardino County Superior Court, Respondent
Ronald A. Wooster et al., Real Parties in Interest
The request of real party in interest Wooster to allocate to amicu curiae Anthony P. David 10 minutes of real parties in interest's 30-minute allotted time for oral argument is granted.

In the Matter of the Selection of the Acting Chief Justice
and Chair of the Judicial Council

Pursuant article VI, section 2, of the California Constitution, and notwithstanding the order In the Matter of the Selection of the Acting Chief Justice (October 31, 1997), the Honorable Marvin R. Baxter, associate justice and member of the Judicial Council, is selected to serve as acting Chief Justice and Chair of the Judicial Council for matters on which the Chief Justice is unable to act on August 27, 1998.

Dated: August 27, 1998

Ronald M. George
Chief Justice of California